AN ORDIANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER IVORY LEE YOUNG, JR.

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION TO IMPLEMENT NO PARKING ZONES ON THE WESTERN BOUNDARY OF GRIFFIN STREET IN THE VINE CITY COMMUNTY BETWEEN SIMPSON ROAD AND MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DRIVE. TO FURTHER AUTHORIZE A STUDY TO EVALUATE EXISTING CONDITIONS OF STREETS AND TO ESTABLISH OTHER NO PARKING ZONES WORKING WITH THE VINE CITY CIVIC ASSOCIATION FOR UNOBSTRUCTED ACCESS THROUGH ITS STREETS IMPACTED BY THE GEORGIA DOME AND HERNDON STADIUM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Whereas, the existing street makes it dangerous and sometimes impossible for emergency vehicles to access; and

Whereas, the impact of the Georgia Dome and Herndon Stadium has created a burden on all streets throughout the neighborhood; and

Whereas, the Vine City Civic Association understands the transportation needs of the community; and,

Whereas, there is a present need to establish No Parking Zones consistent with the community's objectives to address the burden of cars parking on both sides of narrow streets.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, as follows:

- Section 1. That the Department of Traffic and Transportation would install at appropriate intervals No Parking signs on the western border of Griffin Street between Simpson Road and Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive to allow for the free movement of emergency vehicles and all other vehicles.
- Section 2. For representatives of the Department of Traffic and Transportation to evaluate working with the Vine City Civic Association to establish locations to install No Parking signs in other areas of Vine City where appropriate to reduce the adverse impact of the Georgia Dome, Georgia World Congress Center, and Herndon Stadium.